

**A Snap in
Ladies' Fine Shoes**

At Crawford's Friday Sale—Second floor—make choice of two swift sizes—size eleven. The finest Ladies' Misses' Children's and Boys' Shoe Department in St. Louis. Ladies' Fine Dongola Button Square Toe, Patent. Former price \$2 and \$2.50; sale price, \$1.40. Ladies' Fine Dongola Lace, Patent. Leather Trimmed and Piccadilly Toe, former price \$2 and \$2.50; sale price, \$1.40. A mixed lot of Ladies' Oxford Ties, with leather soles, \$1.40. Will close out all warm lined Slippers, former price \$1 and \$1.50; clearing sale price, 40¢ and 75¢.

Domestics.

We still have a few more big bargains left that must be closed out before stock-taking; do not miss this chance.

40¢ Lights Gray Sanitary Flannel, worth 10¢; clearing sale price, 75¢. 5¢ yards Heavy Mattress Ticking, fancy stripe and very strong, worth 11¢; clearing sale price, 75¢. 4.50¢ Bleached Pillow Cases in two sizes, all white, worth 12¢; clearing sale price, 9¢. 58¢ Unbleached Hemmed Sheets for single beds, size 53x80, heavy grade of cotton, worth 40¢; clearing sale price, 25¢. 5 cases 8x4 Unbleached Pepperell Sheetings, mill ends, in odd lengths, worth 10¢; clearing sale price, 75¢. 2 cases 48x11 Unbleached Pepperell Sheetings, mill ends, in odd lengths, worth 10¢; clearing sale price, 75¢.

To enable the ladies who have some of our big bargains in Hem-stitched Sheet and Pillow Cases on hand, we can't wait for you to wait on them, we have determined to continue the sale a few days longer at same prices.

Men's Furnishing Dept.

It doesn't always follow that the man with lots of money has lots of fun with it. The Men's Furnishing Department is a shirt-pocket man's paradise; each one takes turns with his wealth and gets the lion's share of the fun; when he wakes up he'll find his shirt to have been washed by the Furnishing Department and begin having fun himself; getting value for value will be such a novelty to the poor blighted man!

Men's Underwear.

Men's Dark Ribbed All-wool Shirts and Drawers, camel's hair and brown color, furnishing stores' price \$1.75; ours \$1.25. Men's Heavy Black All-wool Hose, all sizes, at 10¢; furnishing stores' price 35¢.

IF... CRAWFORD'S

Have Any Competitors in this city they are certainly not visible to the naked eye! There may be a few who would be competitors whom CRAWFORD'S themselves educated to their present knowledge and position in the days gone by, and who are now doing fairly well, but...

THEY ARE NO COMPETITORS OF CRAWFORD'S!!

There are still a few more (late comers) whom it would be a moral and a physical impossibility to educate in the paths of truth and rectitude, for the very plain reason, the truth is not in them! Keep your weather eye on these gentys!

Go, therefore, in the morning to Crawford's and find Bargains in anything and everything to astonish you, and everything strictly as advertised. On this point Crawford's are, as usual, most particular!

Silks.

Don't fail to visit Crawford's silk department that will astound them! There are few who would be competitors whom CRAWFORD'S themselves educated to their present knowledge and position in the days gone by, and who are now doing fairly well, but...

Dress Goods.

Further reductions in prices of dress goods. In order to clear out this immense stock of fabrics we are making these prices.

Figured and brocade silks and satins; sale price 50¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 35¢.

20 pieces of wash silk, all new, choice goods; sale price 25¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s Jobbing price 20¢.

580 Unbleached Hemmed Sheets for single beds, size 53x80, heavy grade of cotton, worth 40¢; clearing sale price, 25¢.

5 cases 8x4 Unbleached Pepperell Sheetings, mill ends, in odd lengths, worth 10¢; clearing sale price, 75¢.

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Folios and Instruction Books.

Popular sheet music at less than half price.

Regular Our Price. Price.

"Sunshine of Paradise Alley".....40

"Don't Worry at the Play".....50

"Rastus on Parade".....50

"Two-Step March".....50

"Ragtime on the Corner".....50

Etc. Etc.

Folios of Music.

Each of the three following folios contains about 40 popular songs, together with 10 to 12 choice instrumental pieces, 50¢ each:

"Handy English Diagonals"; sale price 50¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 35¢.

"Handy English Songs"; sale price 50¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 35¢.

"Songs for Summer Ramblings"; 50¢ folios, vocal and instrumental, cut to 50¢; 15¢ folios cut to 10¢ each.

Black Goods.

Black goods at prices lower than ever.

100 pieces of black English crepons; sale price 25¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 20¢.

45-inch black French serges; sale price 50¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 35¢.

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45-inch black broadcloths; sale price 62¢; S. C. Davis & Co.'s wholesale price 50¢.

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**FOR WIDOWS
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Siegel-Hillman & Co. Start a Fund for Firemen's Families.

POST-DISPATCH IN CHARGE.

Contributions for the Widows and Children of the Broadway Fire Victims Will Be Received.

It has been suggested that a fund be raised for the families of the married men who met death in the ruins of the A. S. Aloe Company Building Tuesday night. Of the three victims James Kerley alone was unmarried.

Capt. John Stanton of Chemical Company No. 11, lived at 708 Gamble street with his wife and two children. Nimrod Kay Kerley's young widow and her three orphan children live in his father-in-law's family. His wife, a widow, avenged her father Stanton nor Kerley had made any provision of note for their families. Both were young men—Kerley was only 21 years old, and Stanton, 26, and destined to keep them and their dependent ones in comfort.

It was little they could lay by for old age in the ruined city that comes to most families. Strong of body and stout of heart, each relied on his ability to care for the wife and babies. The collapse of a man building a home is the loss of a man of health while they were striving to save the property and lives of others. It was what they were paid to do, and they did it well. They are lost, but the question has been raised: Shall the widows and orphans suffer because their husbands were brave? Shall two young wives children be left to the comforts of life because the law-breakers of two families paid with their lives for the ignorance, carelessness or crime that caused the fire? They are apparently and presumptively staunch children.

The sentiment of the public seems to be that they should not and shall not.

The nucleus of a fund for the families of Stanton and Kerley has been raised and sent to the Post-Dispatch with a request that the paper will use its influence to have it increased.

The suggestion and the first contribution came from a firm that recently sustained a severe loss by fire and is fresh in the minds of its members—the gallant firemen.

The following letter explains itself:

To the Editors of The Post-Dispatch.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—The recent fearful catastrophe on Broadway, by which three hundred families lost their lives, recalls forcibly to our minds the splendid work of the Fire Department when in the place of business at Broadway and Washington Avenue was on fire a few days ago. We keenly appreciated, at that time, that it was only through the untiring efforts of the firemen that the damage was curtailed, and that the lives of the public were saved. The advisability of presenting the department with a suitable memorial.

The opportunity to show our appreciation is now arrived. The terrible sight of three men went down to death in the performance of their duty. One, it appears, was single. The other two each left a wife and one of the three left a mother and two small children practically destitute. We can conceive of no way to make partial expression of our sympathy and our regret than to have the losses of the last named to inaugurate a subscription fund for the relief of the dependents of the men who were suddenly snatched away.

The Post-Dispatch will receive and acknowledge any sums sent to it for the purpose. The first to come in after that of Siegel, Hillman & Co. was a check for \$50.

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WELL WORTH TELLING.

A Well-Known Senator Tells a Remarkable Story.

No Possible Doubt As to Its Absolute Truth.

From the High Standing of the Senator.

Higher the Position, More Interesting the Facts.

Our Readers Eager for Just Such Details.

Senator Frank Plumley of Northfield, Vt., is a man of national reputation. No man to-day stands more prominently before the people of the State of Vermont than he.

A lawyer by profession, he was elected to the House of Representatives in 1882, is Trustee of Schools, Trustee of Northfield Bank, and Trustee of Norwich University (a Military School under paper of the U. S. Government), has been Trustee of the Montpelier Seminary, Chairman of the Republican State Convention 1886, Delegate at large to the Republican National Convention in 1888, and United States Attorney for Vermont 1889 to 1891, and is now State Senator.

Senator Plumley is well known throughout the United States, having been selected by the National Republican Committee as speaker to stump the State of Michigan for Blaine in 1884, and again in 1888 and 1892 when he spoke through the West for the Republican presidential candidate.

When he came out of the presidential campaign in '92 owing to overwork he was almost a complete nervous wreck.

To our representative the Senator said:

"In the fall of 1892 I came out of the presidential campaign with my nervous system almost gone.

"Rest and ordinary remedies did not assist me. Some of my personal friends advised me to take a course of Dr. Greene's medicines, which I did with entire success.

"I used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy for that exhaustion caused by long continued mental work and think well of it."

We understand that Senator Plumley's cure is radical and complete, and, while we congratulate the popular Senator on his recovery, we cannot add but that this is a distinct triumph for that marvelous medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which, owing to the high standing of Senator Plumley and the fact that he is so widely known, will give Dr. Greene's Nervura a great boom.

The remedy deserves it, for it is in truth a most wonderful curer of disease, a restorative and "navigator" which stands at the present day without a rival in making people well; a remedy which is always sure to come, to give health and strength, to make whoever uses it strong and vigorous.

This most valuable remedy is not a patent medicine and should not be classed as such, for it is the discovery and prescription of one of our leading specialists in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th street, New York City. The doctor gives an added value to his great remedy by allowing all who desire to consult him with our charge, either in person or through the mail.

ILLINOIS LAWYERS MEET.

State Bar Association in Annual Session at Springfield.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 23.—The nineteen annual meeting of the Illinois State Bar Association convened in the Supreme Court room of the Statehouse this morning for a two days' session. About fifty members were present. Appellate Judge Oliver A. Harker of Carbondale, President of the association, delivered his annual address, which was an interesting one.

Just James O. O'Conor, of the State Supreme Court delivered a paper on "Briefs and Arguments That Help the Court." He was followed by Martin L. Newell, Assistant Attorney-General of Illinois, who read a paper on "The Art of Writing Law Books."

Judge James C. Courtney of Metropolis read a paper upon "The Unwisdom of the

Law."

The Wabash Makes the Fastest Time To Southern California.

GOLD WITHDRAWALS.

Urging Secretary Carlisle to Revoke the Rule of Secrecy.

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SAFETY VALVE.

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FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER!

GLOVES.
Ladies' finest French Kid Gloves, consisting of four length Mosquetaires, 4 buttons and 6 black lacings. Former price \$1.50. Now \$1.25.

Fire Sale Price 50¢ pair

Ladies' 25¢ Taffeta Silk Gloves, Fire Sale Price 10¢

Ladies' 25¢ Black Lisle Gloves, Fire Sale Price 5¢

Ladies' 75¢ Cashmere Gloves with plush cuffs, Fire Sale Price 35¢

Children's 25¢ Saxony Mittens, Fire Sale Price 10¢

Children's and Infants' 25¢ Saxony Mittens, Fire Sale Price 5¢

Ladies' 75¢ and 50¢ French Kid Gloves, Fire Sale Price 19¢

HOSIERY.

Ladies' 35¢ fancy cotton hose, Fire Sale Price 15¢

Men's 20¢ merino half hose, Fire Sale Price 8¢

Children's 25¢ fast black ribbed cashmere hose, Fire Sale Price 15¢

Children's 50¢ finest English cashmere ribbed hose, Fire Sale Price 25¢

Ladies' 35¢ fast black ribbed cashmere hose, Fire Sale Price 23¢

Ladies' 75¢ finest English cashmere hose, Fire Sale Price 35¢

Children's 25¢ and 35¢ fast black ribbed cotton hose, Fire Sale Price 15¢

EMBROIDERY AND LACE.
All 50¢ and 75¢ embroideries slightly damaged, Fire Sale Price 24¢ yard

All 10¢ and 15¢ embroidery, Fire Sale Price 5¢ yard

All 15¢ and 20¢ embroidery, Fire Sale Price 10¢ yard

All 75¢ ladies' embroidered aprons, Fire Sale Price 39¢

All 25¢ ladies' aprons, Fire Sale Price 15¢

All 15¢ and 18¢ ladies' aprons, Fire Sale Price 9¢

All 20¢, 25¢ and 35¢ colored Tuxedo and machine veillings, Fire Sale Price 4¢ Yard

JEWELRY.
All 25¢ and 50¢ Studs; Fire Sale Price 50¢ set

All 50¢ Shirt Waist Sets; Fire Sale Price 15¢ set

All 50¢ and 65¢ Shell Back Combs and Ornaments; Fire Sale Price 35¢

All 50¢ and 55¢ Shell Back Combs; Fire Sale Price 15¢

All 1.00 and 1.25 Solid Gold Rings; Fire Sale Price 35¢

All 25¢ and 50¢ Gold Plated Rings; Fire Sale Price 100¢

All 50¢ and 65¢ Brooches and Lace Pins; Fire Sale Price 15¢

25¢ Gold and Silver Plated Garter Clasps; Fire Sale Price 9¢

50¢ and 35¢ Gold Plated Earrings; Fire Sale Price 5¢

MILLINERY.

All Colored Felt Sailor, shapes and flats; former price 75¢ and 95¢; Fire Sale Price 15¢

All 25¢ and 35¢ colored Fur Felt Sailor; Fire Sale Price 75¢

All 27.75 English Walking Hats; Fire Sale Price 95¢

An immense lot Flowers; former price 90¢ and 95¢ bunch; Fire Sale Price 4¢

Immense lot Roses; former price 5¢; Fire Sale Price 15¢

Immense lot Roses; former price 6¢; Fire Sale Price 25¢

50¢ Black Ostrich Plumes; Fire Sale Price 15¢

No Black Ostrich Plumes; Fire Sale Price 25¢

Forget-Me-Nots, all colors; Fire Sale Price 5¢ bunch

25¢ Coque Feathers; Fire Sale Price 5¢

5.50 Ostrich Collarlets; Fire Sale Price 89¢

All 25¢, 40¢ and 50¢ Tam O' Shanters, Stanley and Fox Caps; Fire Sale Price 15¢

All 35¢ and 50¢ Infants' Caps; Fire Sale Price 10¢

Infants' 25¢ Elderdown Booties; Fire Sale Price 5¢

All Trimmed Hats at your own price. Our entire stock of Ribbons thrown in this sale at giving away prices.

419-421 Sonnenfeld's, N. Broadway.

FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER!

The Tremendous Volume of Water used to squelch the great Aloe Fire fairly Deluged our Entire Building. The whole of our Immense Reserve Stock on the upper floors were literally drenched with water. Add to this the great damage done by smoke throughout our whole stock, compelled us to CLOSE OUR ESTABLISHMENT WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY to adjust the losses and get the stock in shape for the GREATEST SMOKE AND WATER SALE THAT HAS EVER TAKEN PLACE IN ST. LOUIS. WE HAVE SETTLED WITH THE INSURANCE COMPANIES and will place the Entire Stock on sale at FIRE SALVAGE PRICES.

The Great Damage Sale Begins To-Morrow, Friday, Morning at 9 O'CLOCK Sharp.

100 EXTRA SALESLADIES WANTED TO HELP OUT IN THE RUSH. APPLY BEFORE 9 O'CLOCK TO M. EMANUEL.

UNDERWEAR.

All Ladies' 11.25 and 15.25 Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Vests and Pantaloons; Fire Sale Price 69¢

All Ladies' 25¢ and 35¢ Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Fire Sale Price 3¢

All Ladies' 25¢ Heavy Egyptian Cotton Vests; Fire Sale Price 49¢

All Children's 25¢, 35¢ and 50¢ Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Vests and Pantaloons; Fire Sale Price 35¢

All Children's 25¢ and 35¢ Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Vests and Pantaloons; Fire Sale Price 10¢

All Ladies' 11.25 and 15.25 Natural Gray Merino Union Suits; Fire Sale Price 75¢

All Ladies' 25¢ and 35¢ Egyptian Cotton Union Suits; Fire Sale Price 35¢

All Ladies' 25¢ and 35¢ Smart Egyptian Cotton Vests and Pantaloons; Fire Sale Price 39¢

HANDKERCHIEFS.

All The 5¢ and 8-10¢ Ladies' White and Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 35¢

All Gent's 10¢ and 12¢ Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 5¢

All Ladies' 20¢ and 22¢ Embroidered and Initial Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 9¢

All Ladies' 25¢ Finest Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 18¢

All Ladies' 25¢ and 35¢ Japanese Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 10¢

Gent's 25¢ Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs; Fire Sale Price 20¢

FANCY GOODS.

75¢ Combination Pocket Books, Fire Sale Price 35¢

25¢ Combination Pocket Books, Fire Sale Price 18¢

25¢ Purse, Fire Sale Price 13¢

100 Toilet Soaps, Fire Sale Price 5¢

All 50¢ Toilet Soaps, Fire Sale Price 2¢

FASCINATORS.

All 25¢ Fascinators, Fire Sale Price 18¢

All 40¢ Fascinators, Fire Sale Price 19¢

All 50¢ Fascinators, Fire Sale Price 25¢

All 60¢ Fascinators, Fire Sale Price 35¢

CORSETS.

All popular brands of Corsets, from 11 to 20 Corsets, such as J. P. & S. Thompson's, R. & G. Kobo and W. C. C. boxes only slightly wet, Fire Sale Price 89¢

All 75¢ and 95¢ J. B. Sonnette, and H. & S. Corsets, Fire Sale Price 49¢

BAKE A BATCH OF BISCUITS

Sift one quart of flour, two rounded teaspoonsfuls of baking powder, and one teaspoonful of salt into a bowl; add three teaspoonsfuls of COTTOLENE and mix together until thoroughly blended. Add a pint of milk, and beat the mixture until it is smooth. Make a thin batter, about an inch thick, and cut with a small biscuit cutter. Place a little apart in a greased pan, and bake in a quick oven for fifteen or twenty minutes. These biscuits should be a delicate brown top and bottom, light on the sides, and snowy white when broken open.

The secret of success in this recipe, as in others, is to use but two-thirds as much Cottolene as you used to use of lard. Cottolene will make the biscuit light, delicious, wholesome. Better than any biscuit you ever made before. Try it. Be sure and get genuine Cottolene. Sold everywhere in tins with trade-marks—“Cottolene” and steer's head in cotton-plant wreath—on every tin.

THE R. E. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Radio Building, Fourth & Olive Sts., ST. LOUIS.

FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER!

CLOAKS, SUITS AND FURS

Just as Good as New, Hardly Touched by the Water, FIRE SALVAGE PRICES.

Ladies' Cloth Capes.

Regular \$4 and \$5 Cloth Capes, Fire Price \$2

Regular \$7.50 and \$8.00 Cloth Capes, Fire Price \$3

Regular \$10 and \$12 Cloth Capes, Fire Price \$4

Children's Cloaks.

\$5.00 Children's Cloaks, Fire Price \$1

\$6.00 Children's Cloaks, Fire Price \$2

\$7.50 Children's Cloaks, Fire Price \$3

Imported Wraps.

\$50 Imported Silk Wraps, Fire Price \$15

\$75 Imported Velvet Wraps, Fire Price \$25

Every \$50 Fur Cape, Fire Price \$18

\$30 Beautiful Beaded Plush Capes, Fire Price \$13.75

Fur Capes.

Regular \$8.00 Fur Capes, Fire Price \$2

Regular \$10.00 Fur Capes, Fire Price \$3

Regular \$15.00 Fur Capes, Fire Price \$5

Ladies' Cloth Jackets.

\$7.50 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Fire Price \$2.50

\$10.00 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Fire Price \$3.50

\$15.00 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Fire Price \$5

\$20.00 and \$25.00 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Fire Price \$7.50

Ladies' Cloth Suits.

\$15, \$18 and \$20 Ladies' Cloth Suits, Fire Price \$3.50

Ladies' Skirts.

About 200 odds and ends in Ladies' Cloth Skirts, all lined, prices were \$5 to \$10. \$3

UMBRELLAS.

All \$1.25 Umbrellas \$1.15

All \$2.25 Umbrellas \$2.00

All \$2.45 Umbrellas \$1.90

LEGAL.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of John H. Hagen, deceased, that I, the undersigned, executorial of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. CAROLINE HAGEN, Executrix of John H. Hagen, deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5317

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Jacob Karche, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. DOROTHY A. KARCHE, Executrix of Jacob Karche, deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5318

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Baptiste E. Chassing, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. JOSEPH H. CHASSING, Administrator of Baptiste E. Chassing, deceased, St. Louis, Dec. 4, 1893. 5319

ESTATE of William Nixon, Deceased—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of William Nixon, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, are granted to the undersigned the right to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5320

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Ambrose Bender, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5321

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Fred Wm. Teeming, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5322

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Martin Dippold, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. ELIZABETH DIPPOLD, Executrix of Martin Dippold, deceased.

ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5323

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NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Henry W. Redman, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be held at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next. ANTHONY NACKE, Attorney, 3616 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Jan. 15, 1893. 5328

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EMPLOYMENT GROUPING.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

ANY drug store is authorized to receive want advertisements for the Post-Dispatch. Three lines (20 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

ACCOUNTANT—Thoroughly experienced accountant desires any office position; no objection to leaving city. Add. H 967, this office.

ACCOUNTANT—Books examined and posted; continuous books arranged out; work confidential. Add. H 967, this office.

BOY—Sit. wanted by a boy attending High School; wants sit. on Saturday; best of refs. Add. P 295, this office.

BOY—Wanted, situation by colored boy as houseboy or any kind of work; can give refs. 4263 Cottage av.

BOY—Wanted, situation by colored boy to work in store; city residence; night or day work. Address C 949, this office.

BARREL OF BEER—100 barrels of other barrels for men at Hills, a. w. cor. 6th and Franklin av.

BOOKKEEPER—Young German bookkeeper would like position in office; can give best of refs. Add. O. J. Zangs, 1923 East Grand Avenue.

BOOKKEEPER—Or office man, with large experience and desire; employee; good references. William Hite, 2005 Washington av.

BARRELS OF \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 per Pct. L. E. Shoes and hundreds of other "lot" bargains in barrels at C. E. Hills Shoe Co., a. w. cor. 6th and Franklin av.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, situation as bookkeeper by expert accountant; reference No. 1; salary moderate. Address N 952, this office.

BARRELS of 75¢ Feet Boots So, await you at Hills where you will also find all kinds of bargains in shoes. C. E. Hills Shoe Co., a. w. cor. 6th and Franklin av.

COLLECTOR—Position as collector by young man of 20, have had several years' experience; at present collecting for large St. Louis house. Add. C 967, this office.

COACHMAN—Wants situation; understands the business and is well acquainted with city; refs. Add. C 967, this office.

COOK—First-class dinner or short order cook; man, who wants a place at once; best references. Add. G 966, this office.

CARPENTER—First-class carpenter wants jobbing; will work for \$1.50 a day or by the job; good at repairing furniture. Address Carpenter, 300 N. 12th.

CUTTER—A cutter, who is a practical tailor, desires a position as cutter or combinator. Address John Cullin, Jr., Easterville, Ill.

DRIVER—Wanted, situation by a steady and sober man, to drive or parse for horses. Add. C 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation as houseman, had five years' experience; can give good city references. German; good health. Add. H 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation as colored man from the South, washer or porter. 2100 Sheridan av.

MAN—A handy man, has carpenter's tools; will do anything for \$1.50 per day. Add. A 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, work; colored man; good hostler; can take care of cows and a good muck man. Add. H 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, sit. by a steady young colored man; as porter or plain cook. 1423 Lopas st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a young colored man from the South, washer or porter. 2100 Sheridan av.

MAN—A handy man, has carpenter's tools; will do anything for \$1.50 per day. Add. A 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation as colored man, willing to work; can attend horses and the general house-work. Add. H 967, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation in bakery or restaurant. M. K. 2005 Neath st.

MAN—Intelligent young man; good peuman; correct at figures, well recommended, desires clerical position with good firm. Add. M 965, this office.

MAN—Young man of 20, wishes situation in some office or store. Add. T 966, this office.

MAN—Wanted, employment, clerical or any kind, with mercantile house; good writer and figure; refs. Add. A 968, this office.

MAN—Situation by a young colored man, willing to work; can attend horses and the general house-work. Add. H 967, this office.

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THE AXLE BROKE.

Narrow Escape from a Frightful Calamity on a Railway.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The passengers on the express train from New York to Elizabeth, on the Jersey Central road, had a narrow escape from being victims of a terrible accident last night. As the train started out of the Elizabeth Station the axle connecting the two rear driving wheels of the engine snapped and the heavy engine was wrecked.

When an investigation was made it was discovered that the rear axle had snapped at the point where it met the steel, so that thus an old saw was in the steel, so that thus the heavy engine had run, and the train had to stop, depending upon one-fifth of the axle, a piece about two inches thick in the center.

The train consisted of from eight to ten heavily loaded passenger cars and runs to Elizabeth in 23 minutes at express speed, without stops. Railroad men upon viewing the wrecked engine said that at the time of the accident the train had had from a terrible catastrophe, for, as an old engineer said: "Had the small piece of axle been in the rear way, the train would have run from Jersey City to the Elizabeth drawbridge, during which it runs nearly a mile a minute, there would have occurred one of the most serious accidents that has ever occurred in this section of the country. As you can see from the condition of the engine as she lies, the sudden collapse of the axle must have caused the train to have piled the engine and the long train in a heap before you could say Jack Robinson. I tell you what boys, that would be a terrible experience."

The train had stopped at Elizabeth Station, unloaded the Elizabeth passengers and had started off for Elizabeth, passing the previous passengers on the Union street bridge when the break occurred. The wheels had just before struck the point of a sharp curve, and it is believed that the axle is supposed to have caused the heavy axle to give way. The passengers bound for points west of Elizabeth were transferred to another train, and after a day of labor the wrecked engine was removed to the company's shop after blocking the main track for four hours.

WIPED OUT THE COLOR LINE.

Miss Fannie Barrier Williams a Member of Chicago Woman's Club.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 23.—After fighting over a woman's complexion for four months the Chicago Woman's Club has eliminated the color line among its members. Fannie Barrier Williams, the well-known colored woman, is full member of the club.

The greatest effort was made to suppress official information on a subject which has been a bone of contention in the club, on account of the prolonged opposition to the candidate's admission.

Preceding the meeting there was a lively session of the colored members' committee, which had the support of Mrs. Williams under advisement for the second time. Four members of the committee were prompted by racial pride to file a formal protest against her application. Another negative vote would have successfully blackballed the candidate. Dr. Sarah Harriet Stevens and Mrs. Carrie Weston Wright McCulloch championed the cause of the colored woman, and the majority of the committee reported their support.

The colored members' report prevailed when presented to the meeting.

While the majority of the club have welcomed the intellect of the colored women to its fold, a few members have threatened to resign unless Mrs. Williams does. When ready the threats she made to withdraw her application to remain in the club, regardless of the action of a minority, whom she designated as "prejudiced, mean and hopeless."

No chance for Small Fry Newspapers.

H. J. Palmer, Chicago, Ill., writes the Post-Dispatch under date Jan. 14: "In today's Star was a letter I wrote to them. I handed their papers and could not get any subscribers. There is no chance for the Star and Chronicle where the Post-Dispatch is. The Post is gaining every day. If you see fit you can publish this, as long as the Star has been so smart."

MANIAC'S DESPERATE FIGHT.

He Barricaded His House and Resisted Six Policemen.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., Jan. 23.—Armed with an ax and a knife and with the doors of his home barricaded, Adj. John Bachman, an insane man, resisted the attempts made by six policemen to arrest him. Finally the officers battered down a door and the furniture piled through Bachman's hurried mission across the room to the apartment. When the debris was cleared away they saw the crazy man of the floor with knife and ax. Capt. Thornton and Detective Johnson, who had been chasing Bachman fought like a demon, and upon realizing that he was being overpowered he let go of the ax and knife. He believed he was about to be killed, but Bachman had a big gash in his head where the madman used his knife on him and Detective Johnson was badly injured.

Jupiter Coal.

Insures peace in the kitchen. Sylvester Coal Co. Telephone 1300.

TULLY'S SHORTAGE.

Treasurer of Hendricks County, Ind., Said to Be in Trouble.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—A special from Danville, Ind., says:

Perry R. Tully, treasurer of Hendricks County, has turned his office over to the County Commissioners, who have put an expert bookkeeper in charge.

Tully's bondsmen have filed suit to be released from his bond, and in this way have put themselves from paying the entire shortage, which is estimated at the way from \$30,000 to \$60,000.

Compartment Sleeping Cars

On Wabash night train to Chicago.

COURT-ROOM TRAGEDY.

Daniel Core Fired at Joseph Backer and Killed John Dillon.

WAUKESHA, Ill., Jan. 23.—Daniel Core, at Joseph Backer at Justice Showell's court here yesterday. John Dillon sprang in front of Core, the moment he made a move to shoot. Backer's bullet pierced Dillon's left breast and killed him.

Core, Backer and Dillon were neighboring farmers and Backer had Core arrested for shooting him, but on account of quarrels about fences. The officers brought Core into court without having searched him and drew his revolver as soon as he saw Backer.

"Brown's Bronchial Troches" will relieve Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrah and Throat Diseases.

ENGAGEMENT DENIED.

Cornelius Vanderbilt Says His Son Will Not Marry Miss Wilson.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Cornelius Vanderbilt emphatically denies that there is a word of truth in the story that his son is engaged to marry Miss Grace Wilson, daughter of Richard T. Wilson, the banker. Young Cornelius, however, is said to be in Paris, started in business, and Miss Wilson's sailing two weeks afterwards, and the attention he is reported to be paying her in Paris now have stopped, according to talking. She is eight years older than he.

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Ladies' Knit Underwear.

Remnants—Broken Lots—at
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Silk and Silk and Wool, high
neck and short sleeves, black
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ribbed, Swiss ribbed
(all-wool) **49c**

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Vests and Pants,
natural and white. **33c**

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Vests and Pants, merely
samples of countless others. **59c**

Print Dept. = Remnants

Sister's Kid
Cameos **3c**

Silesia,
worth 12½c **8c**

Printed Sateen Linings,
worth 20c and 25c. **15c**

Bert
Prints **4c**

32½c Scotch Zephyrs,
worth 25c. **12½c**

Remnants of Sateens, Percales, Ginghams, etc., etc., at about half price.

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Ladies' Chemises, with embroidery and lace
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Corsets, in extra sizes only; Crow's prices

50c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 each.

Our Prices, 19c, 25c and 40c each

Saxony and Zephyr Fascinators; Crow's

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Our Prices, 12½c and 15c each

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